



CITY COUNCIL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

04-R-1619

RESOLUTION BY
COUNCILMEMBER MARY NORWOOD

A RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE CITY COUNCIL'S
SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S PARTNERSHIP
WITH THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION TO PROVIDE EMPLOYMENT
OPPORTUNITIES FOR HOMELESS INDIVIDUALS TO
MAINTAIN STATE HIGHWAYS AND INTERSTATE
HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS, THROUGH AN
APPROPRIATE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GEORGIA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE CITY
OF ATLANTA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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Clair Muller
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WHEREAS, the Regional Commission on Homelessness ("RCOH") has identified significant components necessary to assist homeless individuals with movement toward economic self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, the Report of the RCOH identified employment opportunities as a key component of reducing and ending homelessness; and

WHEREAS, the RCOH established an Employment Opportunities Task Force to address the barriers and to provide or create opportunities for employment; and

WHEREAS, the State of Georgia, through the Department of Transportation ("GDOT") has offered to assist with providing employment opportunities for homeless individuals in exchange for litter removal and other road maintenance related services; and

WHEREAS, GDOT, in exchange for litter removal and other road maintenance related services, has offered to enter an agreement with the City of Atlanta, to provide funding in the amount of \$350,000.00 to the City of Atlanta, a component of which will provide employment opportunities for homeless individuals; and

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta is developing an RFP to award \$300,000.00 of the \$350,000.00 to an agency that is willing to provide the designated services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta will be issuing the RFP and contracting with a Human Service Provider to perform the scope of work as outlined by GDOT; and

WHEREAS, \$50,000.00 will be retained by the City for specific line items that cannot be performed by homeless individuals or by a nongovernmental agency, and

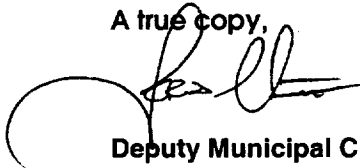
WHEREAS, this generous grant from GDOT and partnership between GDOT and the City of Atlanta will be the first employment effort under the newly created RCOH and will serve as a model for other employment efforts for the homeless.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA as follows:

SECTION 1: That the City Council of Atlanta expresses its full support of the development of the partnership between GDOT and the City of Atlanta for the purpose of supporting the employment opportunities of homeless individuals.

SECTION 2: That the City Council of Atlanta strongly encourages the Department of Public Works to develop an appropriate agreement with GDOT that assists with providing employment opportunities for homeless individuals in exchange for litter removal and other road maintenance related services.

A true copy,



Deputy Municipal Clerk

**ADOPTED by the City Council
APPROVED by the Mayor**

**SEPT 07, 2004
SEPT 15, 2004**

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

PERSONAL

EXPRESS CITY COUNCIL PARTNERSHIP
GA. DEPT. OF TRANSP. (HOMELESSNES) .
ADOPT/NORWOOD

YEAS: 11
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 2

B Smith	NV Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	NV Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
B Winslow	Y Muller	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

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First Hearing
Committee _____
Date _____
Chair _____
Referred To _____

FINAL COUNCIL ACTION
☐ 2nd ☐ 1st & 2nd ☐ 3rd
Readings
☐ Consent ☐ V Vote ☒ RC Vote

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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
John J. Porter

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MAYOR'S ACTION
MUNICIPAL CLERK
Paula Bayless

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- ☐ CONSENT REFER *Council 9/7/04*
- ☐ REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ☐ ADVERTISE & REFER
- ☐ 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- ☒ PERSONAL PAPER ~~REFER~~

ADOPTED BY
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)
SEP 7 2004
COUNCIL
Members

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APPROVED
Wade Dean
SEP 15 2004
MAYOR